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AT HIS MERCY.

Express Messenger Moore Yields to a Masked and Armed Robber.

Train No. 31 of the New York Central Road Held Up.

SCENE OF THE ROBBERY BETWEEN ALBANY AND LITTLE FALLS.

The Masked Man and a Companion Cover the Messenger With Their Pistols and Rifle the Safe of a Lot of Jewelry and Other Valuables—Preliminary Trial of Terry Campbell—Embezzler Gould Pardoned—The Courteous Tragedy—Attempted Murder and Suicide—Other Crimes.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 30.—A train robbery with nearly all the thrilling features that accompany such events in the wild West took place this morning on a Central Hudson Railroad train between Albany and Little Falls. It occurred about 10 o'clock this morning on Train No. 31, a solid American Express train of six cars, which left New York at 8:30 last night, bound for Chicago. At the hour named, B. A. Moore of Buffalo, a trusted messenger of the express company, who has been in its employ fifteen years, suddenly realized the fact that a stranger stood over him with two revolvers pointed at his head, demanding the surrender of his revolver and the key to the safe. The robber's words to Moore were:

"It's money I'm after; you — d — —, we're coming into Utica." Moore was taken wholly by surprise, and as the robber had taken his revolver, had to give up the key of the safe. The robber then opened the safe, took out all the money it contained and jumped off the train, having first given a signal to the engineer to slow down. When was ready to jump he gave another signal for the train to go ahead and then jumped and started in a northerly direction. The robber was masked and the messenger was unable to give any accurate description of him. As soon as possible Moore made known to the other men on the train what had taken place and they made a search to see how the robber got in the car. There was no mystery about it, for a hole large enough to admit a man's body was found cut through the forward end of the car. It was about sixteen inches square and had been cut with an anger and saw. Once the intruder got inside he was concealed from the messenger by the freight and could watch the messenger without being seen himself. He waited until Moore was making out certain way-bills and had covered with the pistols and the mask secured.

ATTEMPTED MURDER AND SUICIDE.
PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Sept. 30.—H. W. Walters, living with his wife and family at Elba, the village on the railroad, attacked his wife with a crowbar Sunday morning and dealt her several blows on the head, inflicting what will probably prove fatal injuries. Walters then jumped into the jaws of an oncoming freight train, having first given a signal to the engineer to slow down. The police and the dead man's friends here have been possession of his lodgings, and they have not yet announced if he left any statement. The General's position, financial and political, has, it is generally admitted, been getting blacker and blacker of recent months. He had no hopes for the future, and his remaining friends were becoming colder as the once famous General dropped more and more out of public notice. The members of the Patriotic League are talking of a public

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 30.—A special from Shoals, Ind., to the *Newspaper* says: "The Grand-jury returned indictments against the Grand-prix William Walker for the murder of Stanford French, a wealthy farmer, residing in the southern part of this county, on Thursday, Oct. 8, 1885. French has been arrested and is in the County jail. After returning from the trial he was to go to the prison for the murder of two men in Orange County over a game of cards. The murder of Freeman was always supposed to have been committed by the Archer gang. His trial was adjourned a few days ago. Walters gave information which has led to a strong chain of evidence which will undoubtedly convict the accused."

THE FRENCH MURDERS.
THOMASTON, Me., Sept. 30.—William Gould, who was sentenced to ten years imprisonment for embezzling the funds of the First National Bank of Portland, was released this morning, having been pardoned by President Harrison. He has been in prison exactly five years.

MURDERED THIRTY-FOUR CHINAMEN.
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 30.—The dying confession of Robert McMillan, aged 18, has been made public and explains the murder of thirty-four Chinese miners, on Snake River, two years ago. According to the confession, the murderer's party was composed of Bruce Evans, Hiram Maynard, Carl Hughes, "Lide" Canfield, Max Larue, Frank Vaughn and the boy McMillan. Two Chinese camps were wiped out and \$5,000 worth of gold was secured.

ATTENDED BANK ROBBERY.
OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 30.—The Diana County Bank, of Ponca, Neb., was entered by five masked burglars last night, the watchman being overpowered. Their efforts to break into the safe were interrupted by the arrival of the robbers, hurried to the railroad where they had a hard-car in waiting, and amid a fusade of bullets they escaped. One of the robbers was shot, but the others carried him away with them on the car.

MURDERER HARDIN RESPECTED.
POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., Sept. 30.—The repulsive life of the man who was condemned to be hanged on Thursday, has caused quite a sensation here. It is stated that an affidavit was presented to Gov. Francis, setting forth that the affiant had seen one Heider Harbin, who is serving a life sentence in the penitentiary, shoot Mrs. Hardin, whose murder Harbin was to be hung.

THE MESSENGER'S STORY.
At the train ran into the Central Depot at 8:30 this morning and stopped, the car and horses to Moors to explain the robbery. "Well sir," said he, "I was never so surprised in my life. All at once, while at work assorting packages, as usual, near Utica, I heard a sharp report from my revolver. I jumped up, and right before me stood a masked burglar, with the muzzle of his revolver in my face. He had secured an entrance into the car by boring a hole sawing a hole through the bottom of the car, and I would have been on guard of course. But it was a complete surprise, and I was dumbfounded. He seized my revolver and pointed it at me, and the work with the other. He seemed in a hurry and soon jumped up, pulled the air-brake cord, jumped from the train, and was lost in the darkness quicker than it takes to tell."

"How much money do you think he secured?"

"I can't tell until we look over the bills and see what he took. My impression is he did not get much. He overlooked a package containing \$5,000 in currency, but got considerable jewelry."

"Do you think there was more than one of the robbers?"

"Yes, sir; there were two. One kept his revolver pointed at me through the hole in the car."

"Have you an idea where they got on the train?"

"It was probably at Albany. We stopped there and they must have jumped on the platform of the car and began work shortly afterward."

"Can you give a description of the robbers?"

"No, sir. The one in the car was masked and wore dark clothing. He was about 5 feet tall, and should judge, and that's all I can say about him."

"Do you think he was familiar with the amount of valuables usually carried on this train?"

"I cannot answer that question."

"You have an impression that the body secured was not very large?"

"Yes, sir. The robber was in too much of a hurry, fortunately, and overlooked several packages."

"Word from Birmingham, Ala., states that Mrs. A. D. Johnson, who resided in Laurens County, Ga., has been brought back from Arkansas, where she fled relatives, and, after a preliminary trial at Moulton, was committed without trial to the penitentiary."

Justice Scudder sentenced two train wrecks, William Anderson, 24, and George Barron, to ten years at hard labor and \$1,000 at Belvidere, N. J., yesterday.

James Anderson, 24, died at 10:30 a.m. yesterday, and confessed to having been the original James Anderson of the Jesse James gang.

Next Sunday afternoon the Young Ladies' Society of St. Michael's Church will have its annual business meeting and election of officers. There will be over one hundred ladies connected with the society.

Plotting with Boulanger.

ON HER GRAVE

Boulanger Dies a Suicide at the Tomb of Mme. de Bonnemain.

A Remarkable Career Closed in a Brussels Cemetery.

THE ACT WITNESSED BY ONE OF THE GENERAL'S ATTENDANTS.

Realizing that His Star Had Set, He Went to the Resting Place of His Friend and Mistress to Close His Career—Chief Incidents in the Remarkable History of the One-Time Idol of France—General, Minister of War and Political Exile—The Woman for Whom He Deserted Country.

JONES AND SMALL.

THE EVANGELISTS MUST APPEAR BEFORE A GORGEOUS GRAND-JURY.

ROME, Ga., Sept. 30.—The two Georgia evangelists, Sam P. Jones and Sam W. Small, have been ordered to appear before the Grand-jury. They conducted a revival here last week, and charged the community so pointedly with the sins of the people and the administration of justice that the Superior Court, Judge Maddox, charged the Grand-jury to come to Jones and Small to make their report to the grand jury, and it is charged, to establish the same. The audience at the trial is very large and the interest great. The good citizens of Newton County will see to that Campbell has a fair and impartial trial.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 30.—Gen. Boulanger committed suicide to day on the tomb of Mme. Bonnemain, who died recently in this city. The act was committed about noon. He stood alone by the grave of his mistress for some time, appearing to be deeply affected by sorrowful recollections. An attendant of the General, who had respectfully remained at some distance from Mme. De Bonnemain's tomb, suddenly heard a sharp report in that direction. Running to the spot, the attendant found Gen. Boulanger lying dead upon the ground with a revolver clenched in his right hand. A hasty examination of the body revealed the fact that the dead man had placed the weapon to his right ear and fired the fatal shot. The affair has caused great excitement in this city and some commotion among the General's followers in Paris. The police and the dead man's friends here have been possession of his lodgings, and they have not yet announced if he left any statement. The General's position, financial and political, has, it is generally admitted, been getting blacker and blacker of recent months. He had no hopes for the future, and his remaining friends were becoming colder as the once famous General dropped more and more out of public notice. The members of the Patriotic League are talking of a public

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AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

GYMNASIUM—"Alabama."	Open daily, 10:30 a. m. to 10:30 p. m.
GRAND OPERA-HOUSE—"Hoss and Hoss."	
POPE'S—"The Devil's Edition."	
STANDARD—"Whales & Martell's Combination."	
MAVLIN'S—"The Runaway Wife."	
MATRICES TO-NIGHT.	
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Forecast for Missouri: Warmer; fair; southerly winds.

Local forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair weather; warmer; southerly winds.

BARILLAS should make it a trio of B's who have "tumbled to themselves."

BARILLAS to HIPPOLITE: "BOULANGER has joined BALMACEADA. There is only a few of us left."

THE need of increasing the municipal salaries does not appear in view of the anxiety of good men to get the offices at present rates.

"THOUSANDS of dollars for the increase of salaries, but not a cent for public business," seems to be the principle of the municipal administration.

It is a pity that the preservation of the American Minister's inviolability involves the protection of Mr. EGAN's entourage of Balmaceda spies and murderers.

THE election of good men for school directors should be the principal concern of all citizens just now, and ward politics should be barred from the contest.

The ordinances providing for the increase in the efficiency of the Fire Department have passed the Council, but, let it be noted, with the opposition of the Mayor's friends.

The honor of the United States demands that Chili be "called down" when she insults the American flag, but it also demands that EGAN be called back for disgracing his Government.

The Republicans of Ohio decline the challenge for a joint debate between CAMPBELL and MCKINLEY. It is cheaper to make anonymous attacks on Gov. CAMPBELL's financial credit.

The conduct of Councilmen BENSICK and CULLINANE with regard to the engine-house ordinances last night placed the responsibility for obstructing the improvement of the Fire Department on political grounds, where it belonged.

The German Emperor's recently acquired desire for peace may be born of his discovery that France has a powerful and well-organized army. A War Lord can be optimistic and peaceful when some other War Lord has the biggest battalions.

THE wreck of the Pennington airship suggests the truth of the biblical saying, "They have sown the wind and they shall reap the whirlwind." It was built on wind, to sail in the wind, and was destroyed by wind. Great is the power of wind.

THE study of the weather is about to be introduced in the New York public schools. Some of the members of the St. Louis School Board have invited sharp criticism, but nobody has ever called them fools. Let us be thankful that things are not so bad as they might be.

THE remarks in the Massachusetts Democratic platform concerning the prostitution of the civil service to partisan uses are to the point. The President has not only failed to execute the law. He has sustained one of his chief officers in its violation. He is one of the gang of law-breakers.

NEW YORK could not find an able or more creditable representative as Mr. FLOWER's successor than CARL SCHUREZ. He is a master of public questions, thoroughly versed in all economic problems, and one of the most skillful debaters ever seen in American public life. There is not

a man on the Republican side of the House who could stand against him for a moment. His presence on the floor would be a guarantee of victory in every debate.

DANGER IN OUR CHILIAN BLUFF.

President HARRISON will probably reap no better harvest of laurels from a jingo demonstration in behalf of his misfit Minister to Chili and his crew of speculators in dictatorships and nitrates than was harvested from the similar demonstrations made in behalf of the Mills-Elkins seal monopoly in Behring Sea and of the steamship company which was trying to extort a subsidy from Hayti.

Besides being handicapped by his own blunder in retaining a Minister known to be personally and officially odious to the Government and people of Chili, Mr. HARRISON is further handicapped by his alleged demand on Chili by the position our Government has so long and conspicuously maintained against the right of ministers to make their houses asylums for political refugees of all sorts or sanctuaries for common malefactors. Accordingly our President is compelled to put his complaint against Chili solely upon EGAN's allegation that his house is watched with more suspicion than any other foreign minister's, and that his ex-territorial immunities are conceded guardedly and with scant courtesy than is extended to the representatives of other foreign powers.

This is a dangerous sort of complaint to prefer, because it may give Chili an opportunity to justify the discrimination by showing that our Minister only has so abused his privilege that precautions had to be taken against such abuse, or that he had made himself and his asylum so offensive that extraordinary steps had to be taken for his protection from the fury of the Chilian populace.

The ex-territorial which protects a minister and his retinue of clerks and servants from punishment under local law, and enables them to aid and abet treason or other crimes with impunity, does not make his house a sanctuary in which malefactors not belonging to his retinue can claim immunity from arrest and punishment. If he employs servants belonging to the country of his official residence, who are accused of committing crimes before they became his servants, they may be searched for and arrested in his house and all the force necessary for effecting an entrance for this purpose may be applied.

In short, the many stories told of EGAN's relations with BALMACEADA and of his interference with Chilian affairs afford grave reason for fearing that Chili's official statement about the police cordon around our Minister's house may prove unpleasant reading for us.

HAD Gen. BOULANGER recognized the well-known fact that ordinary men cannot make opportunity, but must wait for it, he might still have been one of the possibilities in France. While in the War Office he performed his duties as an administrator creditably and everything pointed to a fairly honorable career. He chose, however, to attempt a part beyond his securing the position on account of the prejudice which exists there against her race.

MRS. JOHN A. LOGAN indignantly denies the report that she is a politician, and declares that she has not been since her husband's death.

Miss BRADYON leads a quiet and almost secluded life at Richmond Hill. Most of her leisure is spent in the saddle, and she is still in harness as an author.

The Princess Bismarck is a hypochondriac. She is tall, angular and parsonious, and is always nervous about her failing health.

MRS. ANN E. GRAVES, recently elected a member of the Battle Creek (Mich.) State Board, is the wife of a former Chief Justice of that state.

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The Princess of Wales' birthday, Dec. 1, is to be marked by the presentation at Sandringham of a screen for her Norfolk home, containing photographs of 1,000 horses in connection with the national pension fund for nurses.

ALICE MILLER, a clever and popular young colored woman, has been nominated for the School Board in Boston, but there seems to be little chance of her securing the position on account of the prejudice which exists there against her race.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

Fires and Building Ordinances.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

In the building ordinances of St. Louis there are some clauses which are supposed to protect buildings both public and private, in this city from fire, and many little technical points are insisted on.

In face of what has occurred at the fire on corner of Tenth and Spruce streets, yesterday, the whole of these clauses might well have been omitted, since sec. 716 of our code is as follows:

The shutters were not fireproof, and if they had been, what is the use of using cedar in the most vulnerable side of the building (in this case the aisle or east side) and using stone on the other? The fire spread from the shutters to the cedar.

The facts can be easily proved, and as a species of "fire court" building.

The adjoining shanty (which by the way was not fireproof) was not allowed to stand east of Ninth street, nor allowed to stand east of the fireproof line running to Montreal, not inside of the wood shutters covered with iron, and give the whole out.

Let us live in the shanties in the alleys, and iron or stone walls, but not make a fire of burning coal, wood or building.

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to stop Gibbons from stealing the orchard of George Hartman.

A DAY'S MISFIRE.

Murphy and Wilson McCrory, in a sewer trench at Newark, N. J., were killed by a cave-in.

McCrory, a mechanic, 37 years of age, was over and killed on the Wabash, Western Road, at Chester, Ill.

McCrory, mother of President McCrory, the blind National Bank of Fall from the world with visiting independence yesterday, and the parties that may cause her death.

McCrory is 90 years of age, and is very ill.

PAVANIA DEMOCRATIC CLUBS.

Convention at Pittsburgh—Raum and the President.

Pa., Sept. 30.—When Vice-President S. Brennan of this city called a convention of Democratic Clubs to City Hall at 11 o'clock this morning were over 1,000 delegates in their representing 150 clubs in forty-five

The old historic hall was in

fire and looked beautiful

the tasteful decorations of

the visiting delegations. On the

many prominent Democrats of

nia, including State Chairman

A. L. Tilden, Senator for State

Robert E. Wright, Esq., candi-

date Auditor-General; Secretary of

and Attorney-General Hanzel,

Frank F. Clark, President of the

was absent, having been

in California. Mr. Tilden

convention in a brief address,

he introduced J. J. Miller, Esq.,

who welcomed the delegates in

anner. In the course of his re-

ferred to President Cleveland,

Gov. Campbell, Gov. Hill, and

our Gorman as good material

to select a presidential candidate

The mention of Mr. Cleveland's

selected and his address, and it was

before the speaker and his

the recipients of hearty applause. When

convention of the of Alton

temporary chairman. Com-

mission and resolution

then appointed, and pending their

cess was taken for dinner.

THE CAREER OF A BOSS.

No man has exercised during the past ten

years so much influence on the Pacific Coast as Buckley. The way in

which he fastened his clutches on every avenue which yielded political "pap" and emolument in the short span of a single decade has set a new standard in history of American bosom. Although ostensibly a convert to Democracy he could scarcely be said to have any definite political convictions. Money was his politics, and it was often said that he was a "political gambler" and his god. He manipulated politics with a power that seemed magic rather than ordinary or human, and dealt out rewards to his henchmen at the people's expense with a regularity that would make a monarch jealous. The divinity that doth hedge a man! He took the money of Republican and Democratic alike, and whenever the former offered more he nominated a weak Democrat, and whenever the latter offered more he nominated a strong one. He was a master of all the state, but they were unsuccessful. Now, however, they seem to have succeeded, and it will be interesting to see how far the influence of Buckley will extend. He is fully employed during the last ten years will avail him in clearing himself from the vast array of charges that will be laid to his credit if he ventures to return to California.

Between Buckley and the Republican Boss Higgins, who died a year ago, the friendliest relations existed. This was so much so that it was frequently said that when Buckley won Higgins won and when Higgins won Buckley won.

OUT OF POWER.

Up to the present year Buckley continued to hold the political offices in California and the State. Although for some years past many powerful efforts have been made by respectable Democrats, on whom his regime was bringing disgrace, as well as by Republicans, to drive him out of politics, and of the state, but they were unsuccessful.

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In making his appearance Christopher A. Buckley was the very opposite of such sand-lot demagogues as Dennis Kearney and O'Donnell. He had not a particle of the mountebank in his composition. He always dressed well, and was a credit to his appearance on a public platform. He was courteous and polished in his address and would be readily mistaken for a gentleman of much travel and refinement rather than a political huckster. He always spoke in a low, but clear, voice, and used profane language and usually spoke in a low, but perfectly distinct and pleasing tone. In appearance he is fully ten years younger looking than he really is and may easily be taken for a man in his thirties. For several years past, arm and arm with his guide, as a quiet, gentlemanly swain of 30 or 40 years, Mr. Buckley has been married for more than ten years, and whatever may be his political activities, a word is said against him concerning his domestic relations.

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GATHERING STATISTICS.

Special Agent George C. Walters of the U. S. Department of Labor in Town.

George C. Walters, Special Agent of the United States Department of Labor, is in this city at work upon statistics for the Sub-Commission on the Census of Manufactures.

This committee, of which Senator Carlisle of Kentucky is Chairman, and of which Senators Aldrich, Hitchcock and Allison are members, are sitting in all the large business centers of the country; has its agents out securing statistics on the prices of commodities and necessities, with the special object of ascertaining the condition of laboring classes and the effect upon their welfare of the various changes in the cost of living.

Mr. Walters is empowered to require merchants to open their books to his inspection. He will remain here three weeks or a month.

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having assumed editorial management of the Salt Lake *Herald*. He has been down town for two or three weeks, is now making inquiries. He did not tell his family of his sickness until he was able to be up again and then sent for the doctor.

The doctor said he would be well in a few days for Salt Lake City.

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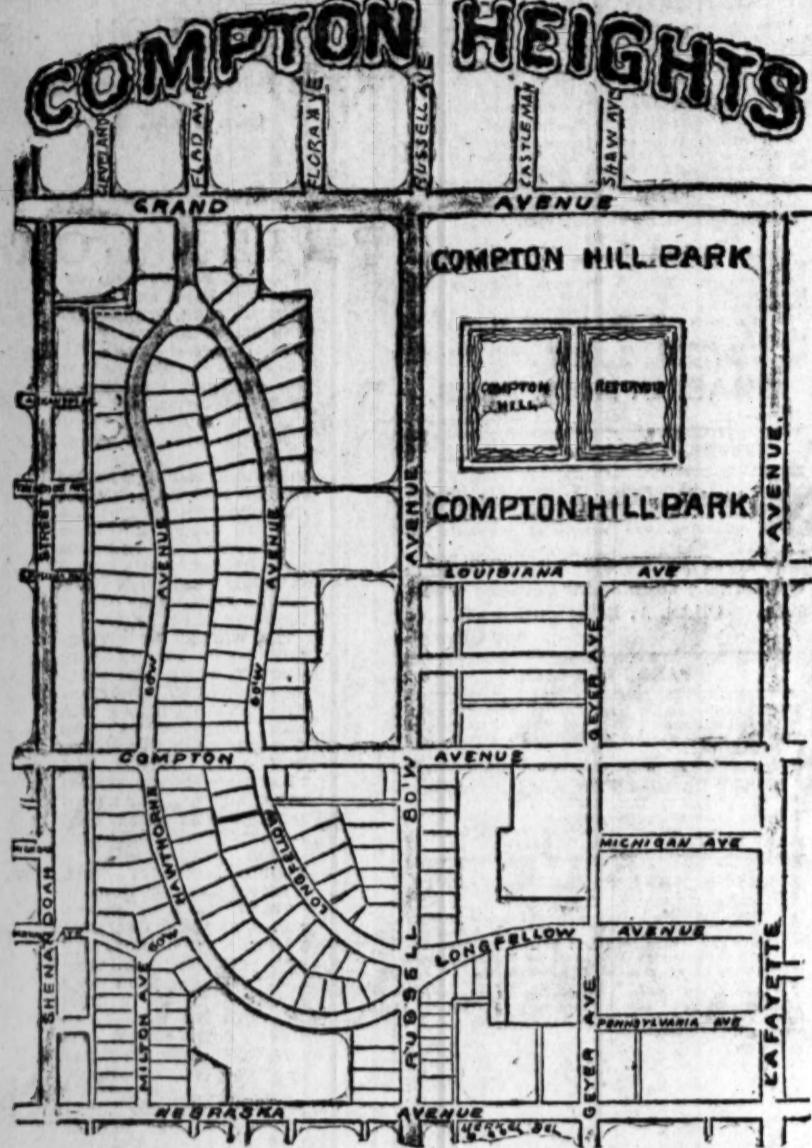
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The Exhibition Given By Pastime Athletes at the Exposition.

THE ATTRACTIONS WHICH ARE OFFERED FOR TO-NIGHT.

Progressive Benefit Order Night—The Catholic Knights of America to Turn Out in Force To-Morrow Evening—Novelties Are Being Constantly Added to the Big Show.

The athletes had possession of the Ex. last night. No better commentary could be found on the hold which physical culture has taken among the better class of people than the audience which thronged the building. One noticeable feature was the interest which the ladies took in the athletic performance. Such an enthusiasm of encouragement is significant for when wives and sweethearts begin to take an interest in an athlete's performance there is no telling where his deeds of prowess will end. The pastimes and their friends turned out in full force last night. Every one wore the royal blue and white. The boys were in rollicking humor and marched through the building singing their club song and the "Hallelujah Chorus." Their first and second contests the stage was cleared and the club gave an interesting programme of athletic events. Mr. Anson D. Hartwell, the President, made an opening address. Bob Farrell, the boxing teacher, and Frank Frew, the club trainer, then gave an exhibition of scientific sparring. There was an exhibition of pole vaulting, followed by a Greek-Roman wrestling between Messrs. Dunn and Watson. There was a running high jump contest and exhibitions of fancy club swinging and horizontal bar work. Hal Greenwood and Bob Russell, among the audience, with a clever exhibition of trick cycle riding. The catch-as-catch-can wrestling bout between George Baptiste and Gus Seaman was very exciting and wound the audience up to a high pitch of enthusiasm.

The exhibition of emotional posing by Miss Fannie Gilmore, the other odd feature of the feature of the evening, was both a surprise and a revelation to the audience. The girls, who were posing in New York by Mr. and Mrs. Edmunds, the apostles of Delafield methods, the Western society leaders who always follow in the wake of their Eastern cousins, have so far failed to adopt this one

ATHLETES COMING.

Another Batch Leave New York To Day for St. Louis.

SOMETHING ABOUT THE PROBABLE WINNERS OF THE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

The Y. M. C. A. Will Oppose the A. A. U.—Result of the Detroit Contest—Boston Still Crawling Up on the Chicago Club—Green Morrison's Luck—Sporting News in General.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Another party bound for the athletic meeting at which the amateur championship games of the United States will be decided, at St. Louis on Oct. 1, will leave New York by the New Haven at 6 o'clock this afternoon. Alexander Jordan will probably compete in the pole vault. He says that Dowan showed conclusively, to him at least, at the Canadian championship meeting on Saturday that he is too fast for Mortimer Remington, the Manhattan man. Other members of the party will be William J. Swan, James E. Sullivan, Secretary of the Amateur Athletic Union; Walter Scott, Puffer and Kelly, Casey, both from the New Jersey Athletic Association, as well as the other pole vaulters, and "Fred" Jansen. The Boston contingent will go with the New York men. It has been decided that Prof. H. S. Cornish, the trainer of the Boston Athletic Association, shall act as starter or pistol firer at the St. Louis meeting.

THE MEN AND THEIR CHANCES.

The New York papers are devoting columns of space to the athletic championships to take place at the St. Louis Fair Grounds Saturday afternoon. Referring to the affair the *Mail and Express* says:

"Interest in the big meeting next week has been gradually developing, until to-day nothing else is talked of in amateur sporting circles. As a usual thing heretofore, it has been considered necessary to limit the number of individuals who exists of how a large number of them will terminate. Last year the championships were held in the East and the quantity of Western performers was considerably less than that of the East. This season the situation is reversed, and the fact that the meeting is held in the West will have the tendency to bring out a lot of talented performers, heretofore unknown to the athletic world, to measure strides with the champions of the East. The winners of the Metropolitan championship honors have undoubtedly been made to recognize the unequal quality of their Western competitors in the past, and have been training assiduously in anticipation of some fearful struggles. The Western men, it is assumed, not having to undergo the tedious trials that are physically exacting as a rule, and the fact of their increasing the element of chance that characterizes the various contests. Judging from present indications the meeting will be the most successful ever seen in the history of the American Athletic Union."

The quarter-mile race, in which Remington and Dows will again compete for supremacy, is exciting the liveliest interest in New York and it is thought that the record for the half-mile probably will not be broken by the winner. The 100-yard race is generally conceded to be between Luther Cary of the Manhattans and Harry Jewett of Detroit. The *Mail and Express* picks Cary for the early selected race, but the two will be in the same heat, and the race will be decided by the champion of the East. The winners of the Metropolitan championship honors have undoubtedly been made to recognize the unequal quality of their Western competitors in the past, and have been training assiduously in anticipation of some fearful struggles. The Western men, it is assumed, not having to undergo the tedious trials that are physically exacting as a rule, and the fact of their increasing the element of chance that characterizes the various contests. Judging from present indications the meeting will be the most successful ever seen in the history of the American Athletic Union."

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BROWNS VS. HODSONS.

The Browns who have defeated the Browns Reserves and other clubs will tackle the Browns to-morrow at Sportman's Park. One of the best of the local pitchers, Pete Finn, will pitch for the Browns and the Browns will be on the alert for the Browns Reserves.

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